

Docket No.: 050388-0048

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re Application of  | : |                                  |
| Satoru KUKINO   | : |                                  |
| Application No.: Not yet assigned                               | : | Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned |
| Filed: September 07, 2006                                       | : | Examiner: Not yet assigned       |
| For: CBN CUTTING TOOL FOR HIGH-QUALITY, HIGH-EFFICIENCY CUTTING | : |                                  |

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.